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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
SEIJI TAKEUCHI, ET AL. )  
Application No.: 10/733,359 )  
Filed: December 12, 2003 )  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
MEASURING BIREFRINGENCE )  
Examiner: R. Punnoose  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed July 28, 2006, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.